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## MEDICINAL.

### WELCOME WORDS TO WOMEN.

Many times women call on their family physician, suffering, as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from liver or kidney disease, another with pain here or there, and in this way they present to their easy-going doctor, separate diseases, for which he prescribes, assuming them to be such, when in reality, they are all caused by some womb disorder. The suffering patient gets no better, but probably worse, by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper medicine, like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, directed to the cause would have promptly cured the disease.

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All transient advertisements must be paid for in advance.

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Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in this paper as advertisements.

The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, orders for paper, news or any information or business can be sent by telephone.

Entered at the Postoffice Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.

Work Makes Women Ugly.

"The problem of woman from a biological point of view" is treated by

Signor G. Ferrero in the current number of the *Monist*. "The essential condition of feminine existence," which he desires to analyze in his paper, is that which he names "the Law of Non-Labor."

"As it is a natural law that the man must labor and struggle to live, so it is a natural law that the woman should neither labor nor struggle for her existence. Biology clearly shows us that the physiological prosperity of species depends on the division of labor between the sexes, for in exact ratio to this is the duration of life."

Marriage, as found among the higher animals, is "a perfect form of the division of labor and mutual co-operation of the sexes."

During hatching time the male bird does all the providing for his brooding mate. At other times her functions in seeking food are merely auxiliary.

The fearful toil which falls to the savage woman, the writer pronounces to be merely a passing phase, a very dangerous aberration, produced by the excessive selfishness of man, which does not and cannot last long."

He remarks that the races in which it is found "have remained in a savage state and have made scarcely any progress."

In civilized nations female toil is not necessary for the production of the wealth needed for humanity. "Man alone could do this. Woman labor only tends to lower the marketable value of male labor; for while woman is working in the factories there are everywhere, and especially in Europe, crowds of men vainly seeking employment, to whom the cessation of work is an off-recurring and terrible evil."

This shows that even from a sociological point of view, female labor is a pathological phenomenon.

"Statistics show an increase of mortality among women and children in countries where industrial life has pressed mothers into its ranks. A perfect woman should be a chief d'oeuvre of grace and refinement, and to this end she must be exempt from toil. The working woman grows ugly and loses her feminine characteristics. Womanly grace and the love which men bear a beautiful woman have perhaps been the origin of paternal love and of all the other sweet tender feelings of which the male is capable. Grace is the aesthetic side of weakness. Woman more than man, enjoys all the benefits of civilization, which nevertheless have been in great part acquired by him alone."

"Man labors and toils to-day just as he did of old, and there is nothing abnormal in this fact, for it is his positive duty. What advantage, then, can be gained by participating in man's struggle for existence, when woman has only to wait until he places these benefits at her feet? I cannot understand why the question of woman's suffrage should so excite public opinion. It is entirely pointless to her. If her husband strains every nerve already to provide her with all the luxuries of life, he certainly will not be lax in defending those interests which are identical with those of his family."

THE DOCTOR'S SEVEN WIVES.—A remarkable record of marriage is the burden of a letter Mrs. Mary A. King, of Baltimore, sent to Editor A. Nevins Pomeroy, of Chambersburg, Pa. Her husband, Dr. King, is now in the penitentiary for having too many wives. Mrs. King says:

"There can be found in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia only seven women who have been lawfully married to the doctor. I will give you the first name of all his better halves. First comes Katie, a bride of a night; then M. Louise, about 10 years from day of marriage to day of granting divorce; both of these are in Pennsylvania, still living. Next came Annie, the one who claimed as his first; she belongs to Maryland, and had nine years with the doctor. Then came Elizabeth, also of Pennsylvania, a wife of three weeks. Next was Clara, of Virginia, whose time was also only a few months, money not being forthcoming any longer. Then came myself, the worst of them all, who had 13 months and 15 days under his roof, my money then being exhausted. Then Laura, who also had a brief time of it."

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MRS. HARRY E. STARR, Pottsville, Pa.

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NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

CAUTION! ELY'S CREAM BALM

Is quickly absorbed. Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Alleviates Pain and Inflammation. Heals the Sores. Protects the Membrane from additional cold.

Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. It will cure Hay-fever. A particle is applied in each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists or by mail.

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ALEXANDRIA DAY

Wednesday, September 19.

STEAM FIRE ENGINE CONTEST.

The Hydrant and Columbia Companies have entered.

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LADIES' RIDING MATCH.

—PRIZE \$50.—

The Week's Attractions

Include Steam Fire Engine Contests and Ladies' Riding Match WEDNESDAY. Grand Military Drills THURSDAY and FRIDAY. Champion Tournament SATURDAY, also

EXCITING RACES

EVERY DAY.

All kinds of amusements, side shows, including the famous IOWA STALLION.

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Positively no disorderly persons admitted or gambling games tolerated.

A splendid dinner for 50 cents.

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RATES OF ADMISSION:

Single tickets 50 cents. Children under 10, 25 cents; under 8 years, free. Family tickets, good for holder, his wife and six children, \$1.

Watch the Papers for Each Day's Programme.

Trains leave Alexandria at 8:00, 9:10 and 10:15 a.m., and 1:45, 2:15 and 3:15 p.m. Round trip to grounds, 20 cents.

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I. B. JONES, President.

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## AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION.

I will sell at auction a SMALL LOT OF FURNITURE AND CARPETS at the residence of the late Mrs. Martin, No. 1012 Prince Street, Alexandria, Va. Sale at 12 o'clock m., on THURSDAY, September 20th, 1894.

L. F. KNOX, Auctioneer.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 18th day of July, 1894, in the chancery cause therein depending of R. Whalley, who sues, &c., complainant, vs. J. Halpin's administrator, et als., defendants, the undersigned, who by said decree was appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose, will at 12 o'clock m., on

SATURDAY,

the 22nd day of September, 1894,